

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – PR&RD – Allegations of irregularities in execution of road work “BT on the road from Abbugudem to Annapureddypally, Khammam district” - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 initiated against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then EE, PR, Kothagudem- Further action dropped with a warning to be more careful in future – Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.I A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 264

Dated:05-03-2010.
Read the following:

1. From the GA (QC) Department, U.O.Note No.145/Adv.(Q.C)/ 99, Dated: 21.8.1999.
2. Govt. Memo No.32588/Estt.I(1)/99-7, PR&RD (Estt.I) Dept., Dt. 13.2.2002.
3. From Sri Rajaratna Reddy, the then EE, PR, Kothagudem, Written Statement of Defence dt.27.6.2003 & 31.9.2004.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1773 PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., Dated:18.10.2005.
5. From Dr. Prasanta Mahapatra, IAS, COI, GAD, C.No.486/CO.PM/2005, Dated: 1.10.2008.
6. Govt. Memo No.1629/Vig.IA/2005-4, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., Dt. 17.11.2008.
7. From the Engineer-in-Chief, PR, Hyderabad, Lr.No. ST5/20207/99, Dated: 20.08.2009.

ORDER:

Based on the report furnished by the General Administration (QC) Department in the reference 1st read above, charges were framed in the G.O. 2nd read above against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district on the allegations of irregularities in execution of “BT on the road from Abbugudem to Annapureddypally, Khammam district”, with a direction to submit his written statement of defence.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Charged Officer Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district has submitted his written statement of defence and after examining the same, Government have decided to conduct regular enquiry in this matter. Accordingly, in the G.O. 4th read above, Government have appointed Dr. Prasanta Mahapatra, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer for conducting regular enquiry and the Superintending Engineer, PR, Khammam was appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Commissioner of Inquiries on behalf of the disciplinary authority.

3. In the reference 5th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his enquiry report. The enquiry officer, in his findings, has concluded that the charges are not substantial enough for major penalty against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district.

4. In the letter 7th read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, PR has stated that there is no adverse remark by the Commissioner of Inquiries against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district in this matter.

5. Government, after careful examination of the report of the Enquiry Officer and the remarks of the Engineer-in-Chief, PR, have decided to drop further action against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district in this matter, with a warning to be more careful in future.

(p.t.o.)

6. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district in this matter, with a warning to be more careful in future.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITRA RAMCHANDRAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri Ch. Rajaratna Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Kothagudem, Khammam district through the Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Secretary to APVC, Hyderabad.

The PR&RD (Estt.I) Department.

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